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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Management and Services  
SUBJECT : Weekly Report

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2. [REDACTED] ComCenter had to close down for 2 1/2 hours when a WW II bomb was discovered in near proximity to the compound. Successful removal by [REDACTED] specialists took place. 25X1A

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3. [REDACTED]: Supposedly there is now an agreement between the opposing forces in [REDACTED] and ratification of same will constitute the start of a new government. If/when this happens, the postponed phase down programs of Agency personnel in [REDACTED] should be reactivated. We are studying the impact of these changes in personnel requirements on assignments and planned personnel movement. 25X1A

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6. [REDACTED] site was accepted this week from the contractor.

7. Request for Assistance from Outside: Defense Mapping Agency solicited OC assistance in obtaining communications service between their facility in McMurdo Sound, Antarctica, and Naval Research Laboratories, Washington. They are currently served by the Naval Communications System, operating a circuit between McMurdo Sound and Christchurch, New Zealand, with common user relay to Washington, but this circuit may be terminated at the end of FY-1974 as the result of budgetary restrictions being imposed on the Navy. DMA has been advised that OC will be unable to render assistance.

8. Possible Discontinuance of Dispatch Service: We received a letter from [REDACTED], Services Staff, DDO requesting a meeting to discuss the elimination of dispatches in favor of Electrical Dispatch Service. A meeting is being arranged to discuss this proposal, its timing and overall impact.

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Planned Activities

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1. Recruitment for FY-1974: [REDACTED] Chief, Communications Services, reported that there would be a meeting with representatives of the Office of Personnel to discuss our recruitment requirements for TC/S personnel through the remainder of FY-1974. We plan advising them that based on current projections the earliest we would EOD a new class would be in late FY-1974 or early FY-1975.

2. Cable Dissemination System: The final specification review and edit task is complete. Suggestions forwarded by OJCS and SED/FAB have been included. The specification is considered satisfactory, and the document has been submitted to Printing Services Division for reproduction. Potential bidder briefings on the CDS requirement began with UNIVAC on 1 August, to be followed by CDC, 3 August and IBM on 6 August and others to be scheduled thereafter.

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Director of Communications

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